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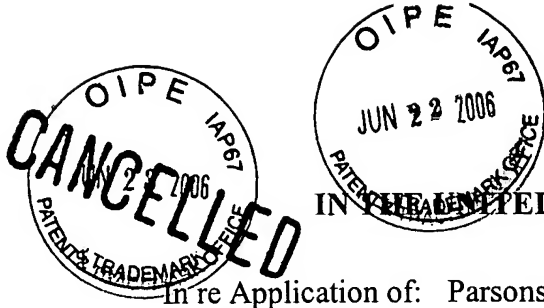
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This is to have considered and made of record in the above-identified application the accompanying published King et al. U.S. patent application No. 2002/0091827 entitled "Domain Name Acquisition and Management System and Method," published July 11, 2002. The patent relates to a monitoring system that (1) can monitor a domain name registration for a customer and registers the name for the customer if the monitored registration lapses, or (2) can acquire registration of the domain name and auction the registration of the domain name.

**The King et al. Publication**

In certain instances, the system of the King et al. published application will have the domain name registration purchased by a "trustee" or "escrow agent" for temporary ownership before assignment to the customer. See paragraph 0039 of King et al. When the domain name registration is to be auctioned such an escrow agent registers the domain name until the auction is held and the registration is transferred to the winning auction participant. Paragraph 0075.

In no case is the trustee or escrow agent a proxy acting as called for in the claims of the present application, and the King et al. published application does not teach or suggest the invention as set forth in the claims.

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